

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: van den Heuvel et al. : Atty Docket SYN-0031A

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
P.O. Box 1450
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August 9, 2004
(Monday)

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 8, 2004, a petition for a one (1) month extension of time being filed herewith, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.